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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of: **Dennis L. Venable**Application No.: **09/411,212**Group Art Unit: **2623** Confirmation No.: **8000**Filing Date: **10/4/1999**Examiner: **Mehrdad Dastouri**For: **DETECTING OVERLAPPING IMAGES IN AN AUTOMATIC IMAGE
SEGMENTATION DEVICE WITH THE PRESENCE OF SEVERE BLEEDING**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time under Rule 1.136(a), as specified below, be granted
for responding to the Office Action of 4/9/2004 due 7/9/2004.

- ☒ One (1) month - \$ 110.00
☐ Two (2) months - \$ 420.00
☐ Three (3) months - \$ 950.00
☐ Four (4) months - \$ 1,480.00
☐ Five (5) months - \$ 2,010.00

☐ This Petition accompanies a response to said Office Action.

Please charge the fee for this extension of time, and any other fees which may be required under 37 CFR
1.16, 1.17, 1.21, and 1.136(a) (but not 1.18), to Deposit Account No. 24-0025. *One duplicate of this
sheet is enclosed.*

Respectfully requested,

Christopher D. Wait
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